

## Message Text

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ACTION SP-02

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 MC-02 ACDA-07 OMB-01 TRSE-00  
IGA-02 AID-05 SS-15 PM-04 L-03 DODE-00 CIAE-00  
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-----231402Z 004329 /43  
R 231111Z MAY 77  
FM AMEMBASSY ATHENS  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 773

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: MASS  
SUBJECT: U.S. ARMS SALES POLICY

REF: (A) STATE 115408  
(B) STATE 115409  
(C) STATE 115244

1. DCM DISCUSSED NEW U.S. ARMS SALES POLICY MAY 21 WITH MFA  
DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS TZOUNIS. AFTER  
MAKING THE APPROPRIATE POINTS FROM REFS A AND B,  
DCM HANDED TZOUNIS THE TEXT OF PUBLIC STATEMENT AND A NON-  
PAPER CONTAINING A SELECTION OF TALKING POINTS DRAWN FROM  
REF C.

2. AFTER LEARNING THAT NEW POLICY WOULD HAVE NO SIGNIFICANT  
EFFECT ON U.S.-GREEK DEFENSE ARRANGEMENTS OR ON SECURITY  
ASSISTANCE BEING NEGOTIATED IN DCA, TZOUNIS SAID SIMPLY THAT  
HE WOULD PASS PAPERS TO GOG EXPERTS FOR FURTHER STUDY.  
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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
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